OFFICIAL SCORING SYSTEM FOR WHITETAIL DEER Copyright ©1997 by Boone and Crockett Club

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H4 H3 F F H2 H2 H3 F F H2 H3 F F F		E D-B-D-E		É		Right Antler	Left Antler	
					Subtotal			
Detail of point measurement					Total to E			
SEE OTHER SIDE FOR DIRECTIONS				Col. 1	Col. 2	Col. 3	Col. 4	
A. # of points on right antler	#	of points on left antler		Spread Credit	Right Antler	Left Antler	Difference	
B. Tip to tip spread	C	C. Greatest Spread		Credit	Tiller	Time		
D. Inside spread of main beam		Credit may equal but not ex	ceed					
E. Total of lengths of abnormal points								
F. Length of main beam								
G-1. Length of first point								
G-2. Length of second point								
G-3. Length of third point								
G-4. Length of fourth point, if present								
G-5. Length of fifth point, if present								
G-6. Length of sixth point, if present								
G-7. Length of seventh point, if present								
H-1. Circumference at smallest place between burr and first point								
H-2. Circumference at smallest place between first and second points								
H-3. Circumference at smallest place between second and third points								
H-4. Circumference at smallest place between third and fourth points								
TOTALS								
ADD	Column 1		Exact 1	ocality where	e killed:	l	l	
	Column 2			Date killed: Hunter:				
	Column 3			Owner: Phone number:				
Subtotal			Owner's address:					
Subtract Column 4			Guide's Name/Address:					
FINA	AL SCORE		Remarks	(mention any a	bnormalities or u	nique qualities):		

INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEASURING TYPICAL WHITETAIL DEER

All measurements must be made with a ¼"-wide flexible steel tape to the nearest ½" (Note: a flexible steel cable can be used to measure points and main beams only). Enter fractional figures in eighths, without reduction. Official measurements cannot be taken until the antlers have air dried for at least 60 days after the animal was killed.

- A. Number of Points on Each Antler: To be counted a point, the projection must be at least one inch long, with the length exceeding width at one inch or more of length. All points are measured from tip of point to nearest edge of beam as illustrated. Beam tip is counted as a point but not measured as a point.
- B. Tip to Tip Spread is measured between tips of main beams.
- C. Greatest Spread is measured between perpendiculars at a right angle to the center line of the skull at the widest part, whether across main beams or points.
- D. Inside Spread of Main Beams is measured at a right angle to the center line of the skull at the widest point between main beams. Enter this measurement again as the Spread Credit if it is less than or equal to the length of the longer antler; if greater, enter longer antler length for Spread Credit.
- E. Total of Lengths of all Abnormal Points: Abnormal Points are those non-typical in location (such as points originating from a point or from bottom or sides of main beam) or extra points beyond the normal pattern of points. Measure in usual manner and enter in appropriate blanks.
- F. Length of Main Beam is measured from the center of the lowest outside edge of burr over outer side to the most distant point of the main beam. The point of beginning is that point on the burr where the center line along the outer side of the beam intersects the burr, then following generally the line of the illustration.
- G-1-2-3-4-5-6-7 Length of Normal Points: Normal points project from the top of the main beam. They are measured from the nearest edge of the main beam over the outer curve to the tip. Lay the tape along the outer curve of the beam so that the top edge of the tape coincides with the top edge of the beam on both sides of the point to determine the baseline for point measurements. Record point lengths in appropriate blanks.
- H-1-2-3-4: Circumferences are taken as detailed for each measurement. If brow point is missing, take H-1 and H-2 at smallest place between burr and G-2. If G-4 is missing, take H-4 halfway between G-3 and the tip of the main beam.

Minimum Score for Whitetail awards is 150 points. If you believe your rack would qualify for an award or record, the scoring must be done by an official measurer.

If you have questions, or to locate an official measurer, contact:

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